

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

1. (Cancelled).

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20. (Currently Amended) A package comprising:

a cylindrical container having a closed end and an open end, closure retention means including a circumferential groove opening inwardly at the open end, and inclined plane means extending radially inwardly and spaced from the retention means; and

a closure for closing the open end of the container, the closure including a body for insertion into the open end of the container, the body having:

a top panel integrally connected with a depending sidewall and a projection extending radially outwardly of the sidewall, the projection adapted to fit securely in the circumferential groove of the container;[[,]] and

inclined plane means extending radially outwardly of the sidewall to cooperate with the inclined plane means on the container wherein upon relative rotational movement between the container and the closure the cooperating inclined plane means of the container and the closure causes relative axial movement whereby the closure disengages from the container opening the package.

21. (Previously Presented) A package according to Claim 20 wherein the closure retention means of the container includes the circumferential groove having a bead and a spaced apart ledge.

22. (Cancelled)

23. (Previously Presented) A package according to Claim 20, wherein the inclined plane means include cooperating screw threads.

24. (Previously Presented) A package according to Claim 20 including:
sealing means extending radially inwardly from the container; and
a sealing surface on the sidewall of the closure to cooperate with the sealing
means of the container to form a fluid tight seal therebetween.
25. (Previously Presented) A package according to Claim 24 wherein the sealing
means is a conical transition wall.
26. (Previously Presented) A package according to Claim 20, wherein the top panel of
the closure includes a slot.
27. (Previously Presented) A package according to Claim 20 wherein the top panel of
the closure is convex.
28. (Previously Presented) A package according to Claim 20 wherein the at least one
of the container and closure is formed of a plastic material.